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ACTION AID-59

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 SCI-06 PC-10 USIE-00 IO-14 INR-11

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FM AMEMBASSY NDJAMENA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8608

INFO AMEMBASSY BAMAKO

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AFDROUGHT

SUBJ: CHAD EMERGENCY AIRLIFT - ACCOMMODATIONS FOR KING GRAIN  
PERSONNEL

REF: STATE 215561

1. GOC DROUGHT COORDINATOR DJONOUA LISTENED CAREFULLY PRESENTATION OCT 1 BASED ON REFTTEL, STATED HE FULLY UNDERSTOOD DESIRE OF USG TO INSURE THAT PRESIDENT TOMBALBAYE IS CONVERSANT WITH PROBLEM, AND AT FIRST SUGGESTED AND THEN URGED THAT I REQUEST APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT FOR THIS PURPOSE. DJONOUA OBVIOUSLY GREATLY RELIEVED TO HAVE PROBLEM REMOVED FROM HIS IMMEDIATE PURVIEW.

2. APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT HAS BEEN REQUESTED AT HIS EARLY CONVENIENCE.

3. WILL APPRECIATE RECEIVING, HOPEFULLY BEFORE MEETING WITH PRESIDENT, STATE/AID VIEWS ON WHAT WOULD CONSTITUTE AN ACCEPTABLE ARRANGEMENT, SHOULD GOC PROPOSE SOMETHING SHORT ASSUMING FULL COST OF ROOMS.

4. IN CONSIDERING (3) ABOVE, HOPE AID AND USAF CAN WORK OUT  
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ARRANGEMENT SO THAT KING GRAIN PERSONNEL ARE NOT INADVERTENTLY

PENALIZED FINANCIALLY BY WHATEVER SETTLEMENT IS REACHED WITH GOC. PER DIEM IS CURRENTLY DOLS 41, WITH AVERAGE COST ROOMS AT DOLS 15 FOR DOUBLE OCCUPANCY, LEAVING MAXIMUM DOLS 26 FOR FOOD AND INCIDENTALS. GIVEN HIGH PRICES NDJAMENA, LATTER FIGURE IT NOT AT ALL EECESIIIEWT SHOULD USAF DECIDE CUT PER DIEM IN HALF IF GOC ABSORBS FULL COST OF ROOMS, THIS WOULD RESULT IN NET LOSS RETROACTIVELY TO PERSONNEL WHO HAVE ALREADY BEEN ADVANCED FULL PER DIEM. THUS WOULD LIKE TO INSURE THAT, AT MINIMUM, USAF PERSONNEL CONTINUE HAVE AVAILABLE DOLS 26 AFTER PROVISION IS MADE FOR LODGING.

5. DEPARTING KING GRAIN PERSONNEL HAVE SETTLED BILLS FOR FOOD AND INCIDENTALS. HOTEL MANAGEMENT HAS AGREED POSTPONE SETTLEMENT ROOM BILLS. DEPARTING PERSONNEL HAVE LEFT WITH EMBASSY SUFFICIENT FUNDS COVER HOTEL BILLS IF REQUIRED.  
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